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Corunna, Dec. 13. N. S.

YEsterday arrived here the Spanish Expedition Pacquet-Boat in 6 days from Falmouth, which will sail again with the first fair Wind. The same day came in here the Defiance, Captain Bonamie Commander, from London, bound for this Port. Our Letters from Lisbon of the 8th Instant say, the Bedford-Galley Man of War is come in there from New-England, but last from Vigo, and intended to sail for England with the first opportunity of a Wind. They write from O-Porto of the 15th, that 10 Sail of English Merchant-ships were come before that Port, two of which were come over the Bar, and the rest were preparing to follow them.

Warsaw, Dec. 6. Our Letters from Brezza say, the King of Poland continued his Resolution of holding a Great Council of all the Senators of Lithuania on the 9th Instant, to consider of the most effectual Means to put an end to the Disorders with which that Province has been so long disturbed, and to settle all Things in such a manner, as that the like may be prevented for the future. In the mean time the Bishop of Wilna, and divers other Persons of Quality, have the King's Leave to continue till that time at Grodno, where they are endeavouring to second his good Designs, by Negociating a Reconciliation of the Differences between the Families of Sapieha and Oginsky, wherein 'tis said, they have already made a good Progress. A Body of the King's German Forces being ordered to Winter in Lithuania, are come into that Dutchy, and are marching to the Quarters that are assigned them. The Sieur Halecky, Palatine of Uladislaw, being appointed to go as Ambassador to the Courts of Sweden and Denmark, is preparing to leave this Place in a few Days. Our Letters from Lemberg say, a Council of War has been assembled there, to Regulate the Quarters of the Forces that are to continue during the Winter in Russland, to cover that Frontier from the Incursions of the Tartars and the Garrison of Caminiec.

Vienna, Dec. 15. Our Letters from Carlowitz of the 4th Instant give an Account, that the Negociations for making a Truce with the Ottoman Port go on with so good Success, that since the adjusting of that part of the Treaty which relates to the Emperor, a considerable Progress had been made in settling those Articles which concern his Imperial Majesty's Allies. The Turks have consented to restore Caminiec to the Crown of Poland, after having dismantled it, but the Polanders insist upon the Ratification of that Place, with its Fortifications, and be willing, in consideration thereof, to yield to the Turks some Places they hold in Moldavia and Walachia, which Offer, it's believed, the Port will accept of. As to the Matters in Debate between the Muscovites and the Turks, there appeared so little difficulty in them, that 'twas not doubted but they would soon be adjusted. That which chiefly hindred the speedy Conclusion of this great Affair was, That the Turkish Ministers had made some Demands from the Republick of Venice, with which the Venetian Ambassador having no Orders to comply, he had been obliged to dispatch an Express to the Senate to receive further Instructions in this Point, upon whose Return 'twas hoped these Matters would be agreed, so that the Treaty might be signed by all Parties about the middle of this Month. Count Marsigli, one of the Emperor's Ministers for Treating a Peace with the Turks, who came hither some days ago from the Congress at Carlowirz, has had divers Conferences with the Ministers at this Court, touching the settling of the Limits between the two Empires, in which 'tis said he will be employ'd as one of the Commissioners that are to be appointed by the Emperor, to meet those of the Grand Signior on the Frontiers of Hungary in the Month of March next, according to an Article of the Treaty for a Truce between his Imperial Majesty and the Turks. Cardinal Grimani, who lately came hither from Rome to Negociate an Agreement of the Differences between this Court and the Pope concerning the Imperial Fiefs in the Ecclesiastical State, has to that effect been several times in Conference with the Emperor's Ministers, and 'tis hoped this Affair may be amicably adjusted. 'Tis said, the Prince of Dietrichstein, Son to the late Prince of Dietrichstein who was High-Steward to the Emperor, is to go in a few days to Modena with a Compliment from his Imperial Majesty to the Princess of Hanover, upon her intended Marriage with the King of the Romans, from whom he is to carry her a Present, consisting of his Picture richly set with Diamonds, a Ring of great Value, and some other Jewels. Great Preparations are making here for the Solemnity of this Marriage, which it's said will be Celebrated about the time of the next Carnaval; And to prevent the extravagant Expences which 'twas feared the Persons of Quality at this Court would have put themselves to on this Occasion, an Order is come out to Regulate their Apparel, and Equipages. The Government of the new Fortress, built by Prince Eugene of Savoy near Arat, is given to Count Solary. The Regiment of Staremberg passed yesterday by this City, in their march to Upper Austria, where they are to have their Winter Quarters.

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